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Firka Development Department.

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Read thefollowing:-

1. From the Director of Industries and Commerce, Letter No.703 L.1./50 dated 14-2-1950.
2. From the Registrar, Co-operative Societies, letter No.42568/50-V-2 dated 19-4-50.

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O R D E R:

The Director of Industries and Commerce has reported that one of the main reasons for the department not having achieved substantial results in the development of cottage industries in this province is that the Industries Department has had to work against a back ground of partial ignorance regarding the economic conditions prevailing in the various industries and the need of the artisans engaged in them. With a view to remedy this defect, the Director of Industries and Commerce has submitted proposals for constituting advisory boards for selected cottage industries in which there is scope for quick development. The Boards are to be charged with the task of advising the Government regarding the measures to be taken to develop those industries. The Government accept the proposal of the Director of Industries and Commerce and direct that Advisory Boards be constituted for developing the six industries in the respective regions where they are important:-

Name of cottage industry.	Region for which the Board is to function.
1. Match Industry.	Sivakasi and Sathur area in the Ramnad Dist.
2. Palmyra fibre and leaf products.	Tuticorin and Tiruchendur areas in the Tinnevelly District.
3. Leather goods manufacture.	Dindigul area in the Mathurai District.
4. Woollen cumbly and blanket weaving.	Kudligi, Kudatani and Bishalli area in the Bellary District.
5. Pile Carpets	Ellore area in the West Godavari District.
6. Handmade Cotton lace.	Narasapur area in the West Godavri District.

2. The composition of the Boards will be as follows:-

1. The Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras, (Ex-Officio President).
2. Local Revenue Divisional Officer (Ex-officio Vice President). He will preside over the meetings of the Board in the absence of the President).
3. Deputy Director of Industries and Commerce, (Cottage Industries), Madras. (Secretary).
4. A technical expert oftheDepartment.
5. Additional Deputy Registrar of Co-operative Societies.
6. Local member of the Legislature.
7 &(8) Two representative of the Industry.

(Members).

3. The function of the Boards will be to advise the Government generally in regard to all measures necessary for developing the industry including—

i. Assistance, financial or otherwise, to be afforded to deserving artisans in the industry;
ii. improving the qulity of the products and standardisation;
iii. increasing the production;

iv. facilities necessary to expand the market for the products of the industry by stimulating exports or otherwise;
v. technological research; and
vi. carrying out a detailed survey and preparation of statistics relating to the industry.

The Board will meet not less than once in two months and as often as may be necessary at an important centre within the region of the industry.

4. The Board will be classified as a Second-class Committee. The rates of T.A. and D.A. of the non-official members of the Boards will be regulated with reference to the rates laid down in G.O.No.853, Fin., dated 13-8-1949, as subsequently modified subject to the condition laid down in Memo No.71182 Exp-A/48-1 Finance Department, dated 17-2-50. The Director of Industries and Commerce will be the countersigning authority in respect of the T.A.Bills of the non-official members of the Board.

5. The Director of Industries and Commerce has recommendeed the appointment of an Additional Deputy Director and the subordinate staff necessary to form another section in his office to attend to the additonal work involved in connection with the working of the Boards. The Government consider that there is no case for the appointment of such a large staff now. Sanction is accorded to the employment of one Upper Division Clerk and one Typist only on the usual scale of pay and allowances temporarily for a period of one year in the first instance in the office of the Director of Industries and Commerce for the work connected with the Advisory Boards.

6. The expenditure will be debited to the relevant sub-heads under "42. Co-operation - d. Cottage Industries."

(BY ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR)

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Secretary to Government.

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